UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (44-1639) DATE: 11/4/66

FROM : SAC J. GORDON SHANKLIN

SUBJECT: JACK L. RUBY, aka;
LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka - VICTIM
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Inspector TOM BISHOP called on 11/4/66 and stated that some question had come up as to whether the bullet that RUBY killed OSWALD with was a regular bullet or a dum dum, and he wondered if I could find out and advise him.

I told him, of course, that we did not take the evidence in the RUBY case, but I felt the District Attorney or the Police Department could tell me, and as I recalled, the gun was a .38 Special with regular bullets.

I contacted Assistant District Attorney WILLIAM ALEXANDER who prosecuted this case, and he advised that it was a regular bullet and not a dum dum. I telephonically furnished this information to Inspector BISHOP.

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